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Applicant

: Mario Festag et al.

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Shielding of an Electrical Component

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AMENDMENT under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Hon. Commissioner for Patents,  
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office action dated June 27, 2003  
kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Reply to Office action of June 27, 2003

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.